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The undersigned U. Sill A Cirlo and Egan Vincenzo Scotto di Carlo E declare(s):

The invention of the above-identified application was "reduced to practice" before April 23, 1997.

Enclosed, as corroborating evidence is the Invention Declaration/Disclosure (Erfindungsmeldung) signed by the Inventors and dated April 24, 1997.

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